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Robert Steele Rock Creek Gypsum 1065 North 400 East Nephi, Utah 84648

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Subject: <u>Deficient Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Robert Steele, Gardner Canyon/Nebo Gypsum Mine, S/023/0015, Juab County, Utah</u>

Dear Mr. Steele and Mr. Young:

The Division has reviewed the referenced Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (NOI), and the following items will need to be addressed before the NOI can be determined complete:

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1. On page 2, item 3 please check appropriate boxes indicating those items for which the contact person may be notified. I AM The Courts of person

2. On page 2, item 4; please leave the section for sole proprietor blank because Triumph Mining Corporation is a corporation, not a sole proprietor.

3. On page 3, item 5, please list the name and address of the private surface owner. Is a portion of the site actually *owned* by a private entity, or does this entity have right of entry through a claim or some other means?

4. On page 3, item 6, please confirm that the mineral rights are actually owned by the entities shown. Are these rights owned by these private entities, or do they have a right to mine based on claims? Do the minerals actually belong to the United States (Bureau of Land Management)? If this is BLM or Forest Service land, please include the project number or the claim numbers.

5. On page 4, Section II, item 1, please fill in the legal description information as closely as possible. Specifically list the area to the nearest 1/4 1/4 section if possible. Please also include the UTM coordinates, if known.



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6. In response to the requirement shown on page 4, Section II, item 2a, please include a general location map that shows the mine site. The Nephi Quadrangle map was included with this submittal, but it does not appear to show the mine site. You have the map that Shows The mire and the Poad

7. In response to the requirement shown on page 4, Section II, item 2b, please include a map at a scale of about one inch equals 200 feet that shows the permit boundaries; the location of any existing or proposed operations, including access roads, drill holes, trenches, pits, shafts, or cuts; and any adjacent previous disturbance for which Triumph Mining is not responsible.

The reclamation contract that was submitted previously is in the name of Robert Steele, but the NOI and the reclamation surety are both in the name of Triumph Mining. Enclosed is a copy of the reclamation contract with Triumph Mining shown as the permittee. **Please sign this form and have it notarized and return it to the Division.**

Please provide your response as replacement pages to your original NOI, or, as you did with the most recent submittal, provide a complete replacement.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please call me at 801-538-5261 or Wayne Western at 801-538-5263. In reply, <u>please refer to file number S0230015</u>. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager